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SUBJ: FEB 77 WATER RESOURCES SPECIALIZED TRADE MISSION

REF: STATE 230897

1. MOVING FEB 77 WATER RESOURCES SPECIALIZED TRADE MISSION
TO JAN 77 MAY CREATE CONFLICT IN UAE WITH NON - IOGA U.S.
MIDDLE EAST TRADE ASS'N MISSION. UNFORTUNATELY, U.S.
MIDDLE EAST TRADE ASS'N HAS NOT YET INFORMED EMB OF ITS
EXACT TIMING OR WHICH CITIES IN UAE WILL BE VISITED, SO
EMB UNABLE TO RECOMMEND DATES IN JAN FOR VISIT OF WATER
RESOURCES MISSION.

2. IN ANY EVENT, ALTHOUGH EMB WILL PROVIDE RELATIVELY LI-
MITED ASSISTANCE FOR NON-IOGA U.S. MIDDLE EAST TRADE ASS'N
MISSION, VERY PRESENCE OF THIS MISSION SIMULTANEOUS
WITH COMMERCE-SPONSORED MISSION IS LIKELY TO DILUTE
EFFECTIVENESS OF COMMERCE MISSION.

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3. SUGGEST USDOC CONTACT U.S. MIDDLE EAST TRADE ASS'N

OFFICE IN WASHINGTON AND TRY TO WORK OUT MUTUALLY
AGREEABLE SCHEDULE. AT PRESENT, U.A.E. HAS NO OTHER
EVENTS SCHEDULED FOR JANUARY SO WE CAN COMFORTABLY
ACCOMODATE ANY SCHEDULE THAT ALLOWS US AT LEAST ONE
WEEK BETWEEN THE TWO MISSIONS.

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